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For : PRESSURE TRANSMITTER FOR CLEAN ENVIRONMENTS

Docket No.: R11.12-0735

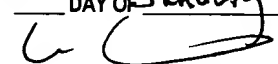
Group Art Unit: 2855

Examiner: O. Davis

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
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20th DAY OF January, 2004.

PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed September 17, 2003, finally rejecting claims 1-16.

FEE STATUS

[] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is established by a verified statement previously filed on ---.

FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

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| [X] other than a small entity | \$330.00 |
| [] small entity | \$165.00 |

EXTENSION OF TIME

These proceedings are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

(a) [X] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:

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| 01 FC:1401 | 330.00 OP |
| 02 FC:1251 | 110.00 OP |

| <u>Extension (months)</u> | <u>Fee for other than small entity</u> | <u>Fee for small entity</u> |
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| [X] one month | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 |
| [] two months | \$ 420.00 | \$210.00 |
| [] three months | \$ 950.00 | \$475.00 |
| [] four months | \$1,480.00 | \$740.00 |

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

[] An extension for one month has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$110.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$110.00
or

(b) [] Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$330.00

Extension fee (if any) \$110.00

Total Fee Due \$440.00

FEE PAYMENT

[X] A check in the amount of \$440.00 is attached.

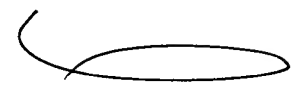
[] Charge Deposit Account No. 23-1123, the sum of \$_.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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